

Docket No.: 294312US0PCT

**ATTORNEYS AT LAW** 

## COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

RE: Application Serial No.: 10/589,132

Applicants: Hiroyuki UONO, et al.

Filing Date: August 11, 2006

For: NEGATIVE ELECTRODE MATERIAL FOR LITHIUM

SECONDARY BATTERY, METHOD FOR PRODUCING SAME,

NEGATIVE ELECTRODE FOR LITHIUM SECONDARY BATTERY USING SAME, AND LITHIUM SECONDARY

**BATTERY** 

Group Art Unit: 1795

Examiner: LAIOS, MARIA J.

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

## **Response to Restriction Requirement**

Credit card payment is being made online (if electronically filed), or is attached hereto (if paper filed), in the amount of \$0.00 to cover any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time.

Respectfully submitted,

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND, MAIER & NEUSTADT, L.L.P.

Norman F. Oblon

∕Paul J. K⁄illos '

Registration No. 58,014

Customer Number

22850

(703) 413-3000 (phone) (703) 413-2220 (fax) (OSMMN 10/09)